

PÉREZ RICAR EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION
NEWARK, NEW JERSEY

DATE: November 20, 1962
TIME: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
PLACE: 27 Cummings St., Irvington, New Jersey

A G E N D A

- I. Welcome
- II. Minutes
- III. President's Report
- IV. Committee Reports

V. Old Business:

1. Report-Delton Hall University
2. Project Pride
3. Forming Coalitions
4. Youth Coalition/La Casa Don Pedro

VI. New Business:

- A. Meeting with Superintendent
 1. Educational Issues
- B. Scholarship Committee
- C. General Membership Meeting
(December)
- D. Establish Organization Plans
 1. Stationary
 2. Board of Directors - Meeting
- E. Invitations
- F. Questions and Answers

PORTO RICAN EDUCATORS' ASSOCIATION, INC.
NEWARK, NEW JERSEY OFFICE
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Date: November 21, 1981
Time: 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.
Place: Ina Guerrero's Home
37 Cummings St.
Irvington, NJ 07111

Attendance:

Lourdes Mitchell
Ina Guerrero
Carmen Perez

Florida Ramez
Nancy Rivera
Norma Sanchez

I. Meeting convened at 10:00 A.M.

II. Minutes from October 20th board meeting were read and a panorama of arguments at the meeting were presented.

President asked that based on minutes and previous problems, we stand back and take a look at ourselves.

III. Treasurer was absent - no report.

IV. Committee reports - deleted at this meeting.

V. Old Business

1. Union Hall activity - membership consisted with cards and applications were not there. Brief discussion took place regarding co-sponsoring activities with other organizations. It was ultimately agreed, that as far as activities with other groups have been unappreciated and that we should continue co-sponsoring as a form of spreading our name and advertising P.R.E.A.

2. Other items deleted at this meeting to go on to next item on agenda.

VI. New Business

1. Date will be set up to meet with Superintendent to establish meeting dates and issues to be discussed on a monthly basis. The issues to be outlined to the Superintendent will be educational only.

Ina Guerrero suggested a letter be sent to P.R.E.A. members requesting their input for these monthly meetings.

Three members will represent the Executive Committee at meetings with Dr. Salley.

Florida Ramez wishes these items be presented to Dr. Salley:

1. High School Requirements;
2. A newsletter with basic requirements and recommendations to be translated;
3. Grading and promotional policies for bilingual students;
4. How bilingual students are placed and dropped out of the program.

B. Scholarship Committee:

Mrs. Lou Marie Hernandez, President of the Puerto Rican Day Parade, will give some money to P.R.E.A.'s scholarship fund. Gilberto Colon chairs this committee at the P.R. Day Parade.

- Scholarship committee should be included in Constitution.
- Executive Board will compose the Scholarship committee for this year.

Mrs. Gloria Ramos was asked to chair this committee due to her experience. She is now rejected, since her judgment was questioned in the previous year. She is willing to help, but not assume the full responsibility.

C. General membership meeting

Mrs. Mitchell recommended we not have a P.R.E.A. Board of Directors meeting in November, but have a general meeting in December - very formal, with written reports.

Gloria Ramos suggested a mini induction ceremony for new members at that meeting.

Don Castrejon, with Gloria's help, will chair the induction ceremony committee.

Votes were taken for date and time of Induction ceremony/general membership meeting:

Sunday, December 20, 1981 at 1:00 P.M. possibly at the North Ward Cultural Center.

Foreign Section and Carmen Pares were put in charge of refreshments.

Key, Carmen Figueroa distributed applications among the members of the executive committee to recruit new members for the Induction Ceremony.

D. Organization Plans

1. Stationery - 4 months ago we agreed that our stationery would contain 3 officers' names, the president's phone number and the Post Office box number.

Three members now oppose that format: Gloria Ramos, Margarita Vega and Gloria del Toro.

Margarita Vega was asked to contact Mrs. Barinisky at Presidential to hold on stationery until further notice.

The new format voted on will include the elected Executive Board.

2. For next Board of Directors meeting send the agendas along.

Meeting adjourned at 12:10 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wanda E. Rivera
Wanda E. Rivera